

RECOMMENDATION	SUMMARY OF ACTION	RESPONSIBLE ENTITY	RESULTS OCT 2009
<p>2. The General Assembly should move to establish a virtual learning entity called the NCVirtual for all North Carolina Citizens and locate it with the Education Cabinet. It is further recommended that an advisory body with support staff be established no later than July 1, 2006 to develop strategies for providing comprehensive eLearning opportunities for all North Carolina Citizens. The advisory board should be appointed by the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the State Senate and the Chairmen of the boards represented on the Education Cabinet to ensure stakeholder representation on the advisory board. It is also recommended that the current e-Learning Commission continue to serve in the advisory capacity until the General Assembly convenes and can take action on this recommendation.</p> <p>It will be the responsibility of the NCVirtual advisory board to assist the Education Cabinet with the facilitation, coordination, and development of eLearning standards and opportunities for all NC citizens among the constituent groups they represent. Each constituent group represented on the Education Cabinet will retain all policy making authority while the Cabinet will ensure coordination and seamless access to all eLearning opportunities for all citizens. It is also recommended that the NCVirtual advisory board composed of the stakeholder groups work in collaboration with the Business Education Technology Alliance and report to the Education Cabinet and to Joint Education Oversight on its progress including any changes needed to policies, laws and rules to effectively develop eLearning opportunities for all NC Citizens no later than December 2006 and annually thereafter.</p>	<p>Education Cabinet endorses the recommendation for the General Assembly to establish NCVirtual with staff for all citizens under the Education Cabinet.</p> <p>Education Cabinet authorizes the current e-Learning Commission to continue to serve in the advisory capacity until the General Assembly convenes and can take action on this recommendation. (please refer to pages 17-19 in report for list of members)</p>	Governor/NC General Assembly/Education Cabinet	Completed –e-Learning Commission Established.